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Holidays and Consular Section Training Day Closures - Year 2012

The U.S Embassy in Caracas will be closed on the holidays listed below. In addition, all three units of the Consular Section - American Citizen Services, Immigrant Visas, and Nonimmigrant Visas - will be closed on staff training days. We will <u>not</u> routinely issue U.S. passports, reports of birth abroad, immigrant visas, nonimmigrant visas, or perform notary services on training days. <u>Only emergency services will be provided</u>. Staff training days are generally on the last Thursday of each month. Please review the calendar below very carefully.

Holidays and Staff Training Days	Dates for 2012
New Year's Day Celebration	Monday, January 02, 2012
Martin Luther King Jn's Birthday	Monday, January 16, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, January 26, 2012
President's Day	Monday, February 20, 2012
Carnival Monday	Monday, February 20, 2012
Carnival Tuesday	Tuesday, February 21, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, February 23, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, March 29, 2012
Holy Thursday	Thursday, April 05, 2012
Good Friday	Friday, April 06, 2012
Declaration of Independence (Venezuela)	Thursday, April 19, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, April 26, 2012
Labor Day (Venezuela)	Tuesday, May 01, 2012
Memorial Day	Monday, May 28, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, May 31, 2012
Carabobo Battle	Sunday, June 24, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, June 28, 2012
U.S. Independence Day	Wednesday, July 04, 2012
Venezuela Independence Day	Thursday, July 05, 2012
Simon Bolivar's Birthday	Tuesday, July 24, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, July 26, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, August 30, 2012
Labor Day (US)	Monday, September 03, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, September 27, 2012
Columbus Day	Monday, October 08, 2012
Discovery of America	Friday, October 12, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, October 25, 2012
Veteran's Day	Monday, November 12, 2012
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 22, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, November 29, 2012
Christmas Day	Tuesday, December 25, 2012
Staff Training Day	Thursday, December 27, 2012
New Year's Day	Tuesday, January 01, 2013